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# ANNOTATIONS TO THE PROVISIONAL AGENDA

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Addendum

1. The present document has been prepared to complete the annotations to the provisional agenda of the Commission on Human Rights at its fifty-second session (E/CN.4/1996/1/Add.1). Its purpose is to bring to the attention of the Commission those resolutions adopted by the General Assembly at its fiftieth session which are considered relevant to the agenda items of this session of the Commission. A list of those resolutions is contained in the annex.

2. The following paragraphs also contain a number of additions to the annotations contained in the earlier document.

Item 3. Organization of the work of the session

Indigenous people

3. In its resolution 50/157 of 21 December 1995, entitled "Programme of activities for the International Decade of the World's Indigenous People", the General Assembly decided to adopt the programme of activities for the Decade contained in the annex to that resolution. The General Assembly also welcomed the establishment of an open-ended inter-sessional Working Group of the Commission on Human Rights with the sole purpose of elaborating a draft United Nations declaration on the rights of indigenous peoples; recommended that the Secretary-General, drawing on the expertise of, inter alia, the Commission of Human Rights, undertake a review of the existing mechanisms, procedures and programmes within the United Nations concerning indigenous people, and report to the General Assembly at its fifty-first session.

4. In the same resolution, the General Assembly also recommended that the Commission on Human Rights consider the convening of a second workshop on the possible establishment of a permanent forum for indigenous people with the participation of independent experts as well as representatives of Governments, organizations of indigenous people and other non-governmental organizations concerned and United Nations bodies and agencies.

5. The attention of the Commission is also drawn to General Assembly resolution 50/156, entitled "United Nations Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Populations".

Report of the High Commissioner for Human Rights

6. The Commission will have before it the reports of the High Commissioner for Human Rights on the situation of human rights in Rwanda (E/CN.4/1996/111) and on the situation of human rights in East Timor (E/CN.4/1996/112), in connection with the present item and with item 21 of the provisional agenda.

Other matters

7. The Commission will also have before it, in connection with the present item and item 10 of the provisional agenda, a note by the High Commissioner for Human Rights transmitting the report of the coordination meeting on the situation of human rights in the Great Lakes region (E/CN.4/1996/69).

Item 4. Question of the violation of human rights in the occupied Arab territories, including Palestine

8. The General Assembly adopted resolution 50/29 A to D on 6 December 1995. In resolution A, the General Assembly requested the Special Committee, pending complete termination of the Israeli occupation, to continue to investigate Israeli policies and practices in the occupied Palestinian territory and other Arab territories occupied by Israel since 1967.

Item 5. Question of the realization in all countries of the economic, social and cultural rights contained in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and in the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, and study of special problems which the developing countries face in their efforts to achieve these human rights, including:

(a) Problems related to the right to enjoy an adequate standard of living; foreign debt, economic adjustment policies and their effects on the full enjoyment of human rights and, in particular, on the implementation of the Declaration on the Right to Development

(b) The effects of the existing unjust international economic order on the economies of the developing countries, and the obstacle that this represents for the implementation of human rights and fundamental freedoms

9. The attention of the Commission is drawn to resolution 50/161 entitled "Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development", adopted by the General Assembly at its fiftieth session.

10. Under this agenda item, the Commission will also have before it a note by the Secretary-General drawing attention to the report of the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights on its twelfth and thirteenth sessions (E/CN.4/1996/113).

Human rights and the environment

11. The Commission will have before it an addendum to the report of the Secretary-General on this issue (E/CN.4/1996/23/Add.1).

Item 6. Question of the realization of the right to development

12. In its resolution 50/184 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Right to development", the General Assembly called upon the Commission on Human Rights to consider carefully the reports of the Working Group on the Right to Development, to assess whether the Working Group had been able to complete its mandate and to consider thoroughly the necessity to reconvene the Working Group.

13. In the same resolution, the General Assembly called upon the Commission on Human Rights to continue to make proposals to the General Assembly, through the Economic and Social Council, on the future course of action on the question, in particular on practical measures for the implementation and enhancement of the Declaration on the Right to Development, taking into account the conclusions and recommendations of the Global Consultation on the Realization of the Right to Development as a Human Right and the report of the Working Group on the Right to Development.

Item 7. The right of peoples to self-determination and its application to peoples under colonial or alien domination or foreign occupation

14. In its resolution 50/139 of 21 December 1995, entitled "Universal realization of the right of peoples to self-determination", the General Assembly requested the Commission on Human Rights to continue to give special attention to the violation of human rights, especially the right to self-determination, resulting from foreign military intervention, aggression or occupation.

15. The attention of the Commission on Human Rights is also drawn to General Assembly resolution 50/140 of 21 December 1995, entitled "The right of the Palestinian people to self-determination".

Question of the use of mercenaries

16. In its resolution 50/138, entitled "Use of mercenaries as a means to violate human rights and to impede the exercise of the right of peoples to self-determination", the General Assembly requested the Centre for Human Rights of the Secretariat, as a matter of priority, to publicize the adverse effects of mercenary activities on the right to self-determination, to render advisory services to States that are affected by the activities of mercenaries, and requested the Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights to report, with specific recommendations, to the General Assembly at its fifty-first session on the new elements identified in the use of mercenaries.

Item 8. Question of the human rights of all persons subjected to any form of detention or imprisonment, in particular:

(a) Torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment;

(b) Status of the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment;

(c) Question of enforced or involuntary disappearances;

(d) Question of a draft optional protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment

Rule of law

17. The attention of the Commission is drawn to General Assembly resolution 50/179 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Strengthening of the rule of law".

Administration of justice

18. In its resolution 50/181 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Human rights in the administration of justice", the General Assembly invited the Commission on Human Rights and the Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice to coordinate closely their activities relating to the administration of justice.

Item 9. Further promotion and encouragement of human rights and fundamental freedoms, including the question of the programme and methods of work of the Commission

Sub-item (a) Alternative approaches and ways and means within the United Nations system for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms

National sovereignty and non-interference in internal affairs

19. At its fiftieth session, on 22 December 1995, the General Assembly adopted resolution 50/172, entitled "Respect for the principles of national sovereignty and non-interference in the internal affairs of States in their electoral processes".

Non-selectivity, impartiality and objectivity

20. In its resolution 50/174 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Strengthening of United Nations action in the human rights field through the promotion of international cooperation and the importance of non-selectivity, impartiality and objectivity", the General Assembly requested all human rights bodies within the United Nations system, as well as the special rapporteurs and representatives, independent experts and working groups, to take duly into account the contents of the resolution in carrying out their mandates and requested the Commission on Human Rights to take duly into account the

resolution and to consider further proposals for the strengthening of United Nations action in the human rights field through the promotion of international cooperation and the importance of non-selectivity, impartiality and objectivity.

Respect for the right to universal freedom of travel and the vital importance of family reunification

21. At its fiftieth session, on 22 December 1995, the General Assembly adopted resolution 50/175, entitled "Respect for the right to universal freedom of travel and the vital importance of family reunification".

Human rights and terrorism

22. The attention of the Commission is drawn to resolution 50/186, entitled "Human rights and terrorism", adopted by the General Assembly on 22 December 1995, in which the Assembly encouraged special rapporteurs, special representatives and working groups of the Commission on Human Rights, as well as treaty bodies, to pay appropriate attention, within their mandates, to the consequences of the acts, methods and practices of terrorist groups.

Fourth World Conference on Women

23. The attention of the Commission is drawn to General Assembly resolution 50/42 of 8 December 1995, in which the General Assembly endorsed the Beijing Declaration and the Platform for Action as adopted at the Conference on 15 September 1995; and to resolution 50/203, entitled "Follow-up to the Fourth World Conference on Women and full implementation of the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action", in which the General Assembly called upon States, the United Nations system and all other actors to implement the Platform for Action, in particular by promoting an active and visible policy of mainstreaming a gender perspective at all levels, including in the design, monitoring and evaluation of all policies, as appropriate, in order to ensure effective implementation of the platform.

24. The attention of the Commission is also drawn to resolution 50/104, entitled "Women in development", adopted by the General Assembly at its fiftieth session.

Violence against women

25. The attention of the Commission is drawn to resolution 50/166, entitled "The role of the United Nations Development Fund for Women in eliminating violence against women", in which the General Assembly requested the Fund, as one of the operational bodies of the United Nations, to take into account the need to strengthen its activities to eliminate violence against women as part of system-wide efforts of the United Nations towards that goal and further requested the Fund to include in its regular reports information regarding its activities to eliminate violence against women and girls and to provide such information to the Commission on the Status of Women and the Commission on Human Rights.

26. The Commission will have before it a note by the Secretary-General transmitting information received by the United Nations Development Fund for Women on its activities to eliminate violence against women (E/CN.4/1996/117).

27. The Commission will also have before it an addendum to the report of the Special Rapporteur on violence against women, its causes and consequences (E/CN.4/1996/53/Add.2).

Education and human rights

28. The attention of the Commission is drawn to General Assembly resolution 50/173 of 22 December 1995, entitled "United Nations Decade for Human Rights Education: culture of peace", as well as to General Assembly resolution 50/177 of 22 December 1995, entitled "United Nations Decade for Human Rights Education", in which the General Assembly requested the High Commissioner for Human Rights to coordinate the implementation of the Plan of Action for the United Nations Decade on Human Rights Education and to carry out the tasks enumerated therein; requested the existing human rights monitoring bodies to place emphasis on the implementation by Member States of their international obligations to promote human rights education and requested the Secretary-General to consider the possibility of establishing a voluntary fund for human rights education, with special provision for the support of the human right education activities of non-governmental organizations, to be administered by the Centre for Human Rights.

Sub-item (b) National institutions for the promotion and protection of human rights

29. The attention of the Commission is drawn to General Assembly resolution 50/176 of 22 December 1995, entitled "National institutions for the promotion and protection of human rights".

30. The Commission will also have before it an addendum to the report of the Secretary-General on this item (E/CN.4/1996/48/Add.1).

Sub-item (c) Coordinating role of the Centre for Human Rights within the United Nations bodies and machinery dealing with the promotion and protection of human rights

31. In its resolution 50/187 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Strengthening of the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights/Centre for Human Rights", the General Assembly reiterated the need to ensure that all the necessary human, financial, material and personnel resources are provided without delay to the High Commission and the Centre to enable them to carry out efficiently, effectively and expeditiously the mandates assigned to them and requested the Secretary-General to submit an interim report to the Commission on Human Rights at its fifty-second session on the strengthening of the human rights programme and on the measures taken to implement that resolution.

32. The Commission will have before it the report of the Secretary-General on the strengthening of the Centre for Human Rights (E/CN.4/1996/116).

Periodic and genuine elections

33. The attention of the Commission is drawn to resolution 50/185 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Strengthening the role of the United Nations in enhancing the effectiveness of the principle of periodic and genuine elections and the promotion of democratization".

Sub-item (d) Human rights, mass exoduses and displaced persons

34. At its fiftieth session, on 22 December 1995, the General Assembly adopted resolution 50/182, entitled "Human rights and mass exoduses", in which it invited the special rapporteurs, special representatives and working groups of the Commission on Human Rights and the United Nations treaty bodies, acting within their mandates, to continue seeking information, where appropriate, on problems resulting in mass exoduses of populations or impeding their voluntary return home, and where appropriate, to include such information, together with recommendations thereon, in their reports, and to bring such information to the attention of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, for appropriate action within his mandate, in consultation with the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.

35. In its resolution 50/195 of 22 December 1996, entitled "Protection and assistance to internally displaced persons", the General Assembly invited the representative of the Secretary-General to finalize his compilation and analysis of existing legal norms for inclusion in his report to the Commission on Human Rights at its fifty-second session and called upon the Commission to consider the question of establishing a framework in this regard on the basis of the report of the representative and the recommendations contained therein.

Item 10. Question of violations of human rights and fundamental freedoms in any part of the world, with particular reference to colonial and other dependent countries and territories

Situation of human rights in various countries

Situation of human rights in Rwanda

36. In its resolution 50/200 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Situation of human rights in Rwanda", the General Assembly commended the efforts of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, working in cooperation with and assisting the Government of Rwanda, to ensure that human rights monitoring, a comprehensive programme of human rights assistance and confidence-building measures formed integral parts of Rwandan and United Nations efforts aimed at conflict prevention and peace-building in Rwanda, and requested the High Commissioner for Human Rights to report on the activities of the Human Rights Field Operation in Rwanda to the Commission on Human Rights at its fifty-second session.

37. The Commission will have before it the report of the High Commissioner (E/CN.4/1996/112), submitted under items 3 and 21 of the provisional agenda of the Commission.

38. The attention of the Commission is also drawn to resolution 50/58 L of 22 December 1995, entitled "Situation in Rwanda: international assistance for a solution to the problem of refugees, the restoration of total peace, reconstruction and socio-economic development in Rwanda", adopted by the General Assembly at its fiftieth session.

Situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran

39. The attention of the Commission is drawn to General Assembly resolution 50/188 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Situation of human rights in the Islamic Republic of Iran".

Situation of human rights in Afghanistan

40. In its resolution 50/189 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Situation of human rights in Afghanistan", the General Assembly invited the United Nations to offer, upon request of the Afghan authorities and with due regard to Afghan tradition, advisory services and technical assistance concerning the drafting of a constitution, which should embody internationally accepted human rights principles, and the holding of direct elections and urged the Afghan authorities to continue to extend their full cooperation to the Commission on Human Rights and its Special Rapporteur.

Situation of human rights in Kosovo

41. In its resolution 50/190 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Situation of human rights in Kosovo", the General Assembly called upon the Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights on the situation of human rights in the territory of the former Yugoslavia to continue to monitor closely the situation of human rights in Kosovo and to continue to pay due attention to that matter in her reporting.

Situation of human rights in Iraq

42. In its resolution 50/191 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Situation of human rights in Iraq", the General Assembly inter alia requested the Secretary-General to approve the allocation of sufficient human and material resources for the sending of human rights monitors to such locations as would facilitate improved information flow and assessment and help in the independent verification of reports on the situation of human rights in Iraq.

Situation of human rights in the territory of the former Yugoslavia

43. In its resolution 50/192 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Rape and abuse of women in the areas of armed conflict in the former Yugoslavia", the General Assembly encouraged the new Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the territory of the former Yugoslavia to continue to pay particular attention to the use of rape as a weapon of war, particularly in the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

44. The attention of the Commission is also drawn to General Assembly resolution 50/193 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Situation of human rights in the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina, the Republic of Croatia and the

Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro)", in which the General Assembly, inter alia, noted that the presence of the Special Rapporteur could be a positive factor towards reducing instances of all human rights violations in the region and invited the Commission on Human Rights at its fifty-second session to request the Special Rapporteur to report to the General Assembly at its fifty-first session.

Situation of human rights in Myanmar

45. The attention of the Commission is drawn to General Assembly resolution 50/194 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Situation of human rights in Myanmar".

Situation of human rights in the Sudan

46. In its resolution 50/197 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Situation of human rights in the Sudan", the General Assembly welcomed the recommendation of the Special Rapporteur that human rights monitors be placed at the earliest possible date in such locations as would facilitate improved information flow and assessment and independent verification of reports on the situation of human rights in the Sudan; also welcomed the decision of the Commission on Human Rights to extend the mandate of the Special Rapporteur for an additional year and invited the Commission at its fifty-second session to give urgent attention to the situation of human rights in the Sudan.

Situation of human rights in Cuba

47. The attention of the Commission is drawn to General Assembly resolution 50/198 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Situation of human rights in Cuba".

Situation of human rights in Nigeria

48. In its resolution 50/199 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Situation of human rights in Nigeria", the General Assembly invited the Commission on Human Rights at its fifty-second session to give urgent attention to the situation of human rights in Nigeria, and recommended, in that regard, that its relevant mechanisms, in particular the Special Rapporteur on summary or arbitrary executions, report to the Commission prior to its next session.

Other matters

49. The Commission will also have before it, in connection with the present item and item 3 of the provisional agenda, a note by the High Commissioner for Human Rights transmitting the report of the coordination meeting on the situation of human rights in the Great Lakes region (E/CN.4/1996/69).

Item 11. Measures to improve the situation and ensure the human rights and dignity of all migrant workers

50. In its resolution 50/168 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Violence against women migrant workers", the General Assembly requested the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, the Centre for Human Rights and the Special

Rapporteur on violence against women, as well as all relevant bodies and programmes in the United Nations system, when addressing the issue of violence against women, to give particular attention to the issue of violence perpetrated against women migrant workers, and to submit reports thereon to the General Assembly.

51. The attention of the Commission is also drawn to resolution 50/169 of 22 December 1995, entitled "International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families".

Item 12. Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Third Decade to Combat Racism and Racial Discrimination

52. The attention of the Commission is drawn to General Assembly resolution 50/135 of 21 December 1995, entitled "Measures to combat contemporary forms of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance", as well as to resolution 50/136 of 21 December 1995, entitled "Third Decade to Combat Racism and Racial Discrimination", in which the General Assembly inter alia requested the Secretary-General to consult Member States and intergovernmental, as well as non-governmental, organizations on the possibility of holding a world conference to combat racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and other related contemporary forms of intolerance, and noted that unless a supplementary financial effort was made very few of the activities planned for the period 1994-1997 would be carried out.

53. In connection with this agenda item, the Commission will have before it a note by the Secretary-General, transmitting a report by the NGO Sub-Committee on Racism, Racial Discrimination, Apartheid and Decolonization on three Consultations on racism and education, held at Geneva from 8 to 10 August 1995 (E/CN.4/1996/71/Add.1).

54. The attention of the Commission is also drawn to General Assembly resolution 50/137 of 21 December 1995, entitled "Report of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination".

Item 13. Status of the International Covenants on Human Rights

55. The attention of the Commission is drawn to General Assembly resolution 50/171 of 22 December 1995, entitled "International Covenants on Human Rights".

56. Under this agenda item, and in accordance with Commission on Human Rights resolution 1995/15, the Commission will have before it a note by the Secretary-General transmitting information on steps taken by the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights for the drafting of an optional protocol to the Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (E/CN.4/1996/96).

Item 14. Effective functioning of bodies established pursuant to United Nations human rights instruments

57. The General Assembly, in its resolution 50/170 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Effective implementation of international instruments on human

rights, including reporting obligations under international instruments on human rights", inter alia encouraged the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, in accordance with his mandate, to request the independent expert to finalize his interim report on possible long-term approaches to enhancing the effective operation of the human rights treaty system in time for the final report to be considered by the Commission on Human Rights at its fifty-second session.

Item 15. Report of the Sub-Commission on Prevention of Discrimination and Protection of Minorities on its forty-seventh session

58. In its resolution 50/167 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Traffic in women and girls", the General Assembly requested the Commission on Human Rights to encourage the Working Group on Contemporary Forms of Slavery of the Sub-Commission on Prevention of Discrimination and Protection of Minorities to continue to address the issue of traffic in women and girls under its draft programme of action on the traffic in persons and the exploitation of the prostitution of others.

Item 16. Rights of persons belonging to national, ethnic, religious and linguistic minorities

59. At its fiftieth session, the General Assembly adopted resolution 50/180 on 22 December 1995, entitled "Effective promotion of the Declaration on the Rights of Persons Belonging to National or Ethnic, Religious and Linguistic Minorities" in which it called upon the Secretary-General to make available, at the request of Governments concerned, qualified expertise on minority issues, including the prevention and resolution of disputes to assist in existing or potential situations involving minorities and requested the Secretary-General, in the implementation of the resolution, to provide human and financial resources for such advisory services and technical assistance of the Centre for Human Rights, within existing resources.

Item 17. Advisory services in the field of human rights

Situation of human rights in Haiti

60. The attention of the Commission is drawn to resolution 50/86 of 15 December 1995, entitled "The situation of democracy and human rights in Haiti", adopted by the General Assembly at its fiftieth session.

61. At its fiftieth session, the General Assembly adopted resolution 50/196 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Human rights in Haiti", in which it welcomed the establishment of the programme of technical cooperation prepared by the Centre for Human Rights aimed at strengthening the institutional capacity in the field of human rights, particularly in the areas of legislative reform, training for justice administration personnel and human rights education, and requested the Secretary-General, through the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights and the Centre for Human Rights, to take appropriate steps to ensure financial and technical resources for the implementation of such a programme.

Item 18. Implementation of the Declaration on the Elimination of All Forms of Intolerance and of Discrimination Based on Religion or Belief

62. The attention of the Commission is drawn to General Assembly resolution 50/183 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Elimination of all forms of religious intolerance", in which the General Assembly inter alia requested the Commission on Human Rights to continue its consideration of measures to implement the Declaration.

Item 20. Rights of the child

63. At its fiftieth session, the General Assembly adopted resolution 50/153 of 21 December 1995, entitled "Rights of the child", in which it, inter alia, invited the working group on the elaboration of a draft optional protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child related to the involvement of children in armed conflicts to pursue its mandate; noted the establishment of an open-ended working group responsible for elaborating, as a matter of priority, guidelines for a possible draft optional protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child related to the sale of children, child prostitution and child pornography, as well as the basic measures needed for the prevention and eradication of those abnormal practices.

64. The attention of the Commission is also drawn to General Assembly resolution 50/154 of 21 December 1995, entitled "The girl child", as well as to resolution 50/155 of 21 December 1995, entitled "Conference of States Parties to the Convention on the Rights of the Child".

65. The Commission will also have before it a report of the Secretary-General on the impact of armed conflict on children (E/CN.4/1996/110 and Add.1).

Item 21. Follow-up to the World Conference on Human Rights

66. In its resolution 50/201 of 22 December 1995, entitled "Comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Vienna Declaration and Programme of Action", the General Assembly inter alia requested the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, the General Assembly, the Commission on Human Rights and other organs and bodies of the United Nations system related to human rights to take further action with a view to the full implementation of all the recommendations of the Conference.

67. The Commission will have before it the reports of the High Commissioner for Human Rights on the situation of human rights in Rwanda (E/CN.4/1996/111) and on the situation of human rights in East Timor (E/CN.4/1996/112), in connection with item 3 and with the present item of the provisional agenda.

Annex

LIST OF RESOLUTIONS RELATING TO HUMAN RIGHTS
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